## Town of Grafton Political Calendar January, 2012 through December 31, 2012

## SPRING ANNUAL TOWN MEETING AND TOWN ELECTION

REGISTRATION VOTERS MGL 51:26, 28 Tuesday, April 24, 2012, 8:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Town Clerk's Office - Last Day for Registration

NOMINATION PAPERS MGL 53:7, 53:10

MGL 53:6

Must be submitted to Registrars of Voters for certification of names thereon, on or before 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, March 27, 2012; After certification, papers must be filed with the Town Clerk on or before 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, April 10, 2012. Must contain the names of at least 50 voters as

Registered

WITHDRAWAL OF NOMINATIONS MGL 51:11 Objections to and withdrawal of nominations must be filed with the Town Clerk on or before 5:00 p.m. Thursday, April 12, 2012.

SAMPLE BALLOTS C54 S51 Sample Ballots must be posted on or before Thursday, May 10, 2012.

TOWN MEETING TOWN ELECTION BL Art. 2 S1, S1A, 2 Business Meeting, Monday, May 14, 2012 at 7:30 p.m. Election of Officers, Tuesday, May 15, 2012

PETITIONS Charter Art. 2 Amended 1993 Last day for filing petitions for insertion of articles in Warrant, the close of business Friday, March 30, 2012.

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM Charter 6-7, 1987 Five Year Capital Improvement Program due February 1, 2012.

ANNUAL TOWN REPORT BL Art. 4 S2 Amended October 20, 2003 All departments to submit their final Annual Town Report to the Board of Selectmen on or before January 31, 2012. Written text encompassing Calendar Year January 1, 2011 through December 31, 2011. Financial reports encompassing fiscal year July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011 to correspond with Town Accountant's Report.

OPERATING BUDGET C41 S59, C849 1969 C1099 1973 Charter Art. 6, 1987 All Boards, Committees, and Department Heads to furnish the Town Administrator no later than November 14, 2011. estimates of amounts needed to maintain their department for a one-year period from July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013. Town Administrator to file budget with Finance Committee by February 15, 2012.

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## FALL ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

FALL ANNUAL TOWN MEETING BL Art. 2: S1A Monday, October 15, 2012 at 7:30 p.m.

PETITIONS Charter Art. 2 Amended 1993 Last day for filing petitions for insertion of articles in Warrant, the close of business August 31, 2012.

REGISTRATION VOTERS MGL 51:26, 28 Tuesday, September 25, 2012 8:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the Town Clerk's Office – Last Day for Registration